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CHASKA THURSDAY JUNE 12 1873.

COUNTY POLITICS.

Now and then a ripple is perceptible upon the surface of politics in this county. Candidates are being mentioned for the office of Register of Deeds and Sheriff. Candidates are already quite numerous for those two positions. For the treasury ship Mr. Hassenstab seems to have little or no opposition. The applicants for Judge of Probate and County Attorney are very shy and are feeling their way cautiously and fighting shy of public opinion. Candidates for the Legislature have not been brought out and we cannot, therefore, speak knowingly of the prospects in that direction. But we shall keep the public posted to the best of our ability from time to time as we gather reliable information.

AN IMPORTANT SUIT.

At the term of the United States Circuit Court, which commences its session in this city on Monday next, the 15th inst., a very important suit will be tried. We refer to the case of Selah Chamberlain against the Southern Minnesota Railroad Company and the St. Paul and St. Louis City Railroad Company. This suit is brought by Mr. Chamberlain as holder of a large amount of the old Minnesota State Railroad Bonds against the present Railroad Companies, to whom the State, without consideration, transferred in '64, all the lands, road beds and franchises of the old land grant railroad companies. These road-beds were all graded by Mr. Chamberlain for which he received no pay except said State bonds. The State held a mortgage on the property of the old companies, to secure the payment of these bonds, and the companies never having paid any part of them, the State foreclosed the mortgage and bid in all the lands, road-beds and franchises, in her own name, and held them in trust for the holders of these bonds, and the present suit is to enforce this trust against the present companies, whom it is claimed took, with notice of the trust, and compel them to account for this large property, in order that it may be applied in payment of the bonds.

The Man Skeleton of Mexico.

Mexico City (May 10) Correspondence of the New York Herald. A fearful story is told of the Indian chief and robber of Tepic, Lozada, which has but recently been brought before the public, and which for cruelty cannot find a parallel. In the small village of San Luis, near Tepic, there has been discovered a subterranean apartment, constructed especially for the prosecution of horrible crimes, and in this was found, not long since, a man who for fourteen years had not seen the light of day. Unshaven and unwashed, and doubled by feebleness, and withal bereft of sense when discovered, he is said to have had more the appearance of a wild animal than of humanity. From motives of revenge Lozada had him incarcerated in the sepulchre, and formerly would seem to have taken especial pleasure in witnessing the tortures of this unhappy man, visiting him daily for that purpose, and taunting and mocking him in his helpless misery. The wretched man was placed on his release in charge of a physician, who is obliged to use the utmost prudence in bringing him forth from his living tomb to enjoy even more the liberty of life; and, even with the greatest care, it is thought his embled system will not sustain the shock such a change may bring to it.

The steamer Meteor, plying between Lake Erie and Lake Superior ports, was destroyed by fire on Saturday, while at dock at Detroit. She had on board a full cargo and quite a number of passengers, all of the latter, however, being saved. The vessel was a very fine one, owned by J. T. Whiting & Co., of Detroit, and valued at \$70,000.

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HOME ITEMS

HERALD AGENT CARVER - G. A. Du Toit

Lake Superior & M. R. R.

Trains arrive and depart from the Chaska depot as follows:

Going North: 8:30 A. M. 6:30 P. M.

Going South: 8:30 A. M. 6:30 P. M.

S. W. Lusk, Agent.

Shakopee, Chaska & Carver

Accommodation Trains.

CONNECTING WITH ALL TRAINS ON ST. PAUL & N. W. R. R.

Going West: 8:30 A. M. 6:30 P. M.

Going East: 8:45 A. M. 6:10 P. M.

H. & D. TRAINS.

Going West, 10:45 A. M. Going East, 8:50 P. M.

SANGER-FEST.

The Concordia are making extensive preparations for the Sanger Fest, commencing on the 21st of the present month and continuing until the evening of the 23d. We are informed by the committee that the attendance will be very large, much greater than anticipated some time ago. There will be three bands in attendance, viz.: The Great Western, of St. Paul; the Turners Band, of Minneapolis; and the Chaska Brass Band. It is needless to say that the music will be excellent, both instrumental and vocal. The excursion train from St. Paul and Minneapolis on Sunday will bring up over 1,000 persons. All of the principal towns in the State will be represented. Young America, Carver, Watertown, Waconia, Benton, Dalgreen and Chanhassen will turn out en masse, it will be in every respect a gala day in Chaska.

It then behooves the citizens of Chaska to make preparations to properly entertain the guests in attendance. It will redound to our credit and honor.

Fruit Trees.

We are pleased to learn that fruit trees in this County, were not damaged to any great extent by the severity of the weather last winter.

Mr. Ludloff, the veteran fruit grower of the county, informs us that most of his trees wintered well and promise abundant fruit, and in fact such is the report from other fruit growers in different sections of the County, from which we are led to infer that no great damage has been sustained in this regard.

Pioneer Mfg. Company.

We have had occasion heretofore, to speak of and in regard to the above manufacturing establishment, owned and operated by Chas. Kenning & Bro., of this village. They have recently added new and improved machinery and are now turning out superior work. Their doors, sashes and fronts are equal in quality and workmanship to St. Paul or Minneapolis work. It is a duty we owe to home industry and enterprise to patronize and support them and we hope that builders will bear them in mind, inasmuch as they sell at St. Paul prices.

New Drug Store.—Messrs. Franken & Staken, have recently added a splendid assortment of fancy toilet articles, to their already large stock of Drugs, oils, paints &c., which they are selling at remarkably low prices for cash. They respectfully invite the public to call and examine their stock.

The proceedings of the County Commrs. will appear in the next issue. They are interesting.

VILLAGE IMPROVEMENTS.—The village and town authorities have set their respective machinery at work and our streets are being graded and improved, cross and side-walks are being built, which when completed will add materially to the appearance of our already beautiful village. Next week work will be commenced at and around the two depots in town.

The Catholic Church is being plastered and an addition built to the vestry. It will be completed, ready for services in about one week.

COMMUNICATION.—We are in receipt of a communication from Watertown which reached us too late for publication this week. It will appear next.

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PERSONAL.—H. J. Peck, and Col. L. L. Baxters son, Chas. Peck, left for Vermont last Monday afternoon. Mr. Peck will return in two weeks.

Comms. Kelly, Patterson and Wessbecher, made our sanctum pleasant calls during the week.

Charley Blomquist, the genial proprietor of the Planter's Hotel, Minneapolis, was in town, greeting his many friends on Friday last. Charley keeps a good house and should be patronized by Carver Countyites.

Mr. Gifford, the genial and enterprising agent of Messrs. Camp & Smith, of St. Paul, tarried in our village the greater part of Tuesday last and made many friends.

Mr. Essler, business manager of the St. Peter Foundry, was in town on Saturday last. He expressed himself as very much pleased with our location and future prospects.

Our business men, Messrs. Young, Faber, Warner, Linenfelser, Wolff and D. Stone were business visitors to both Minneapolis and St. Paul during the week.

Public Meeting.

The citizens of Chaska are requested to meet in public meeting at the Concordia Hall, on Saturday evening next, the 14th at 7 o'clock, to take steps to properly decorate our streets on the occasion of the Sanger-Fest. A large attendance is requested.

MANY CITIZENS.

SHIPMENTS.—Several barges loaded at our levee with brick and wood for the St. Paul market during the week.

Messrs. Gregg & Co., and Warner & Co., will hereafter ship the greater portion of their summer manufacture of brick to St. Paul by Railroad—arrangements having been entered into between the companies and our manufacturers to that effect.

CIGARS FOR SALE.—Mr. D. Stone, of the cheap cigar store, has on hand a superior brand of cigars for sale by the box, which he is selling at remarkably low prices. He simply asks for a trial and guarantees satisfaction.

Carver Items.

IMPROVING.—We are pleased to say that our young friend, Wm. Gibson, who has been confined to his bed for two weeks past, is slowly improving, and strong hopes are entertained of his recovery. We sincerely hope to see Wm. out again soon.

LETTER.—Mr. H. Tanner of this place, son-in-law of John Dunn has written a letter to the St. Paul Herald explaining as far as his knowledge of the affair would permit, the causes which led Mr. Dunn to leave his home and business as he did, and it is generally taken by the public at large as a correct statement and strong hopes are entertained that Mr. Dunn will soon return and help straiten out his business. This in our opinion, would certainly be his best course, and his return would inspire confidence in his creditors.

HEARD FROM.—Our readers will be glad to hear that our former fellow townsman, Dr. F. E. Lewis has located at Alexandria, in the County of Douglas, and formed a partnership with Dr. Vivian of that place, and that their practice is very large, and growing—serves you right Frank.

PERSONAL.—Gen. McLaren, the new St. Marshall for this State, was in town on Wednesday last on official business, and made us a pleasant call.—Come again Genl.

J. A. Wilder & Dr. Lord of Shakopee and Dr. Hand of Saint Paul spent a few hours with their friends in Carver on Saturday last. The two latter were here to assist Dr. Lewis in a surgical operation, which they performed upon a Scott County man.

Capt. Johnson has gone up to Waverly, on the St. Paul and Pacific Road, on business concerning Mr. Tanners assignment. We understand Charlie takes charge of the store at that place, lately run by Mr. Tanner.

Mr. Altringer, of the firm of C. & N. Altringer manufacturers of the celebrated Panning Mills, of the name at Racine Wis., is in town, and will "scatter" his Mills broadcast throughout our County. He has three teams at work, and with "Lute" as chief spokesman, their mills will soon be sold. Another car load will soon be wanted.

HARRY.—Our friend Fowler was made happy one day last week by an "arrival" at his house, and all doing well.

FANCY GOODS.—John S. Nelson, Prop. of the City Drug Store at Carver has just rec'd. an elegant assortment of Fancy Goods of all descriptions. He sells reasonable and warrants his goods.

WELCOME.—We understand that J. J. Day Esq. will return to Carver from Ohio this week. His friends will be very glad to meet him.

DECORATION DAY.

At the conclusion of Dr. E. H. Lewis address on Decoration day, he read the following excellent verses as composed by himself:

The graves shall be decked where the dead heroes sleep,

Where the winds sigh a requiem softly and low;

Where the pale moon and stars their lone vigils keep,

And no sentry's needed to march to and fro.

The graves shall be decked, of the soldiers whose blood,

Was shed on the field when the battle's loud roar;

Swept the ranks that were full, till the dying and dead,

Numbered more than thieving by many a score.

The graves shall be decked of the martyrs who died,

In the foul prison pens where starvation was rife;

Where the tottering step, and wild haggard eye,

Told of sufferings greater than death in the strife.

The graves shall be decked of the brave boys in blue,

Who responded so nobly their country to save;

But have for an epitaph richness or wealth,

And a plain wooden slab as a mark to their graves.

The graves shall be decked of the heroes that sleep,

In the swamp or the ravine or dell far away;

Where death found its victims, with no eye to weep,

No! not even a mark to point out where they lay.

They'll not be forgotten though no wreaths are strewn,

O'er the last resting place of the unknown dead,

If naught but the wild flowers there annually bloom,

And the green robe of nature so tenderly spread.

No! they'll not be forgotten though resting unknown,

Where no dirge is sung save the nightingales trill;

They are cherished by Him who sits on the throne,

And rules countless worlds by the strength of his will.

To fit care we leave them for ages to come,

Till the long roll is sounded for all soldiers to rise

When we'll meet in reunion where flowers will bloom,

And perpetual sunshine shall gladden our eyes.

NEW STORE.—Magnus Walt of Laketown, on the Waconia road has opened a small country store in connection with his saloon. He has a choice assortment of groceries and will sell them at very reasonable prices.

DIED.—Mrs. Endres, the wife of Andre Endres, of Waconia, died on Monday last and was buried on Wednesday. The funeral was largely attended, many from Chaska and Carver attending.

Mrs. Endres was universally respected and much regret was occasioned by her death.

Infestation of the Bowels.—The virtue of Dr. Trask's Magnetic Ointment in this dangerous disease are truly wonderful. Many cases have been snatched from the grave by the use of this ointment, when every other means had failed.

We have many cases reported to us corroborating this statement. It is equally effective in infestation of any of the Pelvic or abdominal viscera, of the Liver, Spleen, Kidneys, Ovaries, Womb and Bladder. See advertisement in another column.

Grand Ball and Pic-nic.

We are requested to announce by Mr. Peter Ellis, that he has made arrangements for a grand time at his place commencing on the 21st, and ending on the 24th, of the present month. He has engaged the celebrated Fort Snelling Brass Band for the occasion, and which will discourse music during that time. He will give Ball's and Pic-nic's during the whole time.

TEN PINS.—John Boss, of the Oak Grove Saloon, at the forks on the Chaska, Smithtown and Victoria roads, has commenced the building of an alley upon his grounds. John has a delightful place and will become eventually a place of summer resort.

CITY MEAT MARKET.

The best of meats, sausages, poultry &c., constantly kept on hand. Market 24 Street, Chaska.

HECKLIN Jr. & BIERLINE, Prop.

NOTICE.

Whereas Amelia Waldfogel has this day left my bed and board without just cause. All persons are hereby notified not to credit her on my account. I shall pay no debts of her contracting after this date.

May 17 1873.

CARL WALDFOGEL.

Wanted—Lady Agents.

In every Town and Village, to sell what every lady will purchase at sight. Address Miss WILLIAMS, 134 Fulton St., N. Y.

Programme

OF THE

7. MINNESOTA

SAENGER-FEST,

AT

Chaska, Carver Co. Minn.

ON

Saturday, Sunday and Monday

THE

21, 22, and 23d of June 1873.

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First Day.

Forenoon receptions of Societies and guests.

12 o'clock, welcome song and addresses by the Concordia.

Assignment of quarters.

Afternoon.

Trial of Fest song by the Societies in attendance.

Evening.

Grand Vocal and Instrumental Concert.

Sunday Forenoon.

Procession of all the Societies through the streets of Chaska.

Festival Oration.

AFTERNOON.

Grand Prize Singing by all the Societies.

Evening Theater.

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Monday Morning Pic-nic at Judge Ebinger's Grove.

11 o'clock, Meeting of the

Saengerbund.

Evening Grand Ball at the Fest Hall and Litanic night at Concordia Park.

MUSIC.

Music for the occasion will be furnished by the celebrated Great Western Band of St. Paul.

By Order of the Fest Committee

CHEAP

Cash Store!

New Goods.

would most respectfully call the attention of my friends and the public in general, that I have now in store a full stock of

DRY GOODS, NOTIONS, BOOTS AND SHOES.

Groceries and Provisions

Which I am selling cheap for cash or ready pay. Butter, Eggs and Wool received in exchange for goods, at the stand formerly occupied by Henry Young, corner of 2nd & Chestnut streets.

CHASKA, MINN.

DANIEL STONE.

Bride And Bridegroom.

Essays for Young Men on the interesting relation of Bridegroom to Bride, in the institution of Marriage,—a Guide to matrimonial felicity, and true happiness. Sent by mail in sealed envelopes free of charge. Address, Howard Association, Box P. Philadelphia, Pa.

FRANKLIN & CO.

VILLAGE ORDINANCES.

ORDINANCE No. 5.

Be it ordained by the Village Board of Chaska, Minn. That the regular monthly meeting of the Village Board of the Village of Chaska be and are hereby fixed upon the first Wednesday of each and every month until otherwise ordered to meet at the store of Messrs. Franken & Staken at the hour of 7 1/2 o'clock p. m. of said day.

Approved, May 28th 1873.

F. E. DU TOIT, President Board of Trustees.

J. FRANKEN, Clerk.

THE NEWS.

AT HOME.

Prof. WASSMANN died suddenly on Friday at his residence, 403 Dekalb avenue, Brooklyn, from a shock to his nervous system, caused by an attack of cholera, which he contracted from the cholera epidemic in the Argentine Republic, which he had been visiting.

The Patrons of Husbandry in Missouri have effected a state organization. Three hundred branches were reported at the meeting.

A TEMPERANCE meeting in a new Catholic Church at Scranton, Pa., held on Thursday during the ceremony of laying a corner stone. A number of persons were seriously injured.

A SPECIAL from Colvilleville, Ill., says that the safe of the Adams Express office, which was broken open and robbed on Thursday night.

The young colts are dying off in Plymouth county, Iowa, with symptoms like those of the epidemic.

GEORGE LAMAR recently killed the principal chief of the Wichitas, near Fort Sill, and it is believed war will be declared between the tribes in consequence.

The following named firms, members of a combination to the control of the Western lumber market, have suspended, indefinitely, being unable to make good on their contracts: W. B. & Co., of New York; J. Richards & Sons, of San Francisco; R. W. Adams & Co., of New York; Page & Co., of Chicago; C. B. Schuch & Co., of Albany; Williamsburg Mill and Lumber Co., of Chambersburg, Pa.; and J. W. & Co., of Cleveland; Watson & Twissell, of Chicago; Barton & Spencer, Elizabeth & R. A. Loveland of Chicago.

It is stated that there are in Washington 13,000 children who are blind, deaf, dumb, etc. As the wealthy old woman who makes her own will, she cannot read, and a whisky saloon for every 10 persons.

JOHN S. TOWNSEND, of Fishing Mills, Buck county, Pa., succeeded at last in making a whisky saloon, which he has named "The Old Dutch." He was a lumber merchant, and among the recent failures.

Over eight hundred Chinese arrived at San Francisco last week.

THERE were 65,565 emigrants landed at New York from the 1st of April to the 9th of May. McKEITH's lively stable in Brooklyn was burned on Sunday, and seventeen horses perished.

TWO MEN, Christian Olsson and Hans Christensen, were drowned at Cedar Falls, Iowa, Sunday afternoon, by being carried over the mill dam while on a raft. They were aged 28 and 37, respectively, and married men.

JOHN McCALL, a lad twelve years of age, in attempting to jump on a freight train at Jackson, Michigan, Saturday afternoon, was thrown under the wheels, and had both legs and an arm cut off. He died in about four hours.

THE Supreme Court of Louisiana has decided two cases of interest for office under the Louisiana act. In the first case the legality of the officers holding under the Kellogg convention was sustained.

THE Secretary of the Interior has overruled the application of the McGregor and North Mississippi River Railroad Company for a revival of his decision regarding the company of the St. Paul and Sioux City Railroad Company, involving the title to lands covered by overlapping land grants.

AT Vandalia, twenty-seven miles west of Paducah, on Saturday, Linda E. Frost, Cut-shed dead Thomas Price, aged 33. Both were colored. The woman was arrested.

COMMISSIONER of Internal Revenue Douglas is informed that the New York Central Railroad does not intend to comply with the demand of the officers holding under the Kellogg convention to carry the case to the Supreme Court, "not to mention the amount of \$100,000, as the road can stand that for the purpose of establishing a precedent."

NEAR Pittsburg, on Friday evening, while two little girls, one a daughter of Mr. Morgan, and the other of Mr. Wierwick, were playing, one of them fell a lighted match to a can filled with carbon oil. An explosion followed, and in an instant the clothing of the children was saturated with oil, they were enveloped in flames and burned to death.

A BAND of desperadoes, numbering thirty or more, took forcible possession of the Indian territory, a station on the Missouri, Kansas and Texas Railroad, Saturday, and held the authorities captive. Troops have been sent to quiet the disturbance.

THE republicans of Ohio have nominated the following ticket: Governor Hayes, of Hamilton, re-nominated; Lieut. Governor Alphonse Hart, of Portage; Supreme Judge William W. Aldrich, of Cleveland; Attorney General, John L. Tilton, of Cleveland; Comptroller of the Treasury, W. A. Watson, of Portage; re-nominated; member of the Board of Public Works, Philip H. Hersh, of Anguize, re-nominated.

A FIRE on Sunday in the carpenter's shop of the Chicago, Burlington and Quincy Railroad at Aurora, Ill., destroyed property worth \$23,000.

THE first Roman Catholic Church for colored people established west of the Mississippi, was dedicated at St. Louis on Sunday.

One hundred post cards have been ordered for St. Louis.

CORR. JUSTICE CURVE left property valued at \$350,000.

THE President has appointed Edward Palmer Indian Agent for the Grand River Agency, Dakota; Robert K. McLean, United States Marshal for the district of Minnesota; and John Tilton, Collector of Internal Revenue of the Fourth District of Illinois.

LARS LARSEN's wife, at Chicago, knocked him down with a brick, and he was taken to the hospital. The doctor says she has a knife in the stomach. LARSEN's wounds are fatal.

ABROAD.

TWO consuls have been found near Mexico, Spain, with a placard on each bearing the words "killed while attempting to assassinate Don Alfonso."

DEATHS the recent fighting in Panama the national troops beat 23 killed and 33 wounded, and the state troops double that number.

ARRIVED from Minneapolis of April 23d, say the yellow fever prevails there to such an extent that the people are flying from the city, and business is suspended.

CALLS notes of the 6th state that a large fire there burned the Hotel Comercio and several other buildings, causing a loss of eight hundred thousand dollars. No Americans suffered.

GEORGE DARRUS has been elected constitutional President of Guatemala, and the rebellion is suppressed.

ABOUT nine hundred Chinese, including the crew, were wrecked in a junk and drowned in the China sea.

THE Italian Chamber of Deputies on Saturday approved the bill abolishing religious corporations in Rome.

A TELEGRAM from Tiflis, dated the 15th confirms the news that Khava was taken, and says that Khan was made a prisoner by the Russians, who have stationed only eight Jews.

PRESIDENT THIERS has appointed M. Casimir Perier, Minister of the Interior, M. Poincaré, Minister of Public Works, and M. Washington, Minister of Public Instruction. The other Ministers are unchanged.

A LETTER has been received from Sir Samuel Baker, on the White Nile. He reports all well; that the passage through to the end was effected with great difficulty, and that he hopes that the obstruction will be entirely removed during the present summer.

Snow fell in the north of England on Sunday.

The Jolly Testator who Makes His Own Will.

[From an English Magazine.]

Ye lawyers, who live upon litigants' fees, and who need a good many to live at your ease,

Grave or gay, wise or witty, whatever your degree, Plain suit or Queen's Counsel, take counsel of me.

"Hail ye festive occasion your spirit unfolds, You should never forget the Testator's best friend."

So will send round the wine, and a light bumper fill To the jolly testator who makes his own will.

He remiss his wish and his purpose to give All disputes among friends when he's laid in his grave.

Then he straightway proceeds more disputes to settle, And a long summer's day would give time to settle.

He writes and erases, he blunders and blots, He produces such puzzles and Gordian knots, That a lawyer, intending to frame the deed ill, Could not make the testator who makes his own will.

Testators are good; but a feeding more tender Springs up when I think of the feminine gender.

The testatrix for me, who like Telemachus' mother Unweaves at one time what she wove at another.

She begins, she stops, she repeats, she reveals a donation, And she ends by revoking her own recollection; Still scribbling or scratching some new codicil.

Oh! I never to the woman who makes her own will! 'Tis not easy to say, 'mid her varying vapors, What scraps should be deemed 'testamentary.'

But I can say from these her intention to find, When, perhaps, she herself never knew her own mind. Every spot that we take, there arises fresh doubt.

Is the legacy large or is it single, or double? No customer brings it as much gold to the mill As the wealthy old woman who makes her own will.

The law decides questions of *numa* and *numa* In kindly counseling to make the thing *numa*; The lawyer, on the contrary, is a lawyer, and who gets What he wishes, and the lawyers are full.

The lawyers starve, but the lawyers are full; The lawyers have riches, the lawyers are full. The lawyers are full, and the lawyers are full.

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THE POLITICAL CRISIS IN FRANCE.

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Reorganization of President Thiers and his Ministry—General MacMahon Elects Thiers—Success—The Chamber Made Without Disturbance.

VERSAILLES, May 24.—The Assembly convened at two this afternoon, and after an energetic speech by Casimir Perier, Minister of the Interior, rejected, by a vote of 360 to 348, the simple order of the day proceeding from the Left and supported by the Government. An order of the day proposed by the Right, declaring that the present form of Government was not under discussion, and regretting that the reconstruction of the Ministry did not afford conservative guarantees, was adopted by a vote of 360 against 344. Upon the announcement of the result of the vote, Baragnan, a member of the Right, said that the supreme interest of the country required that the Government should not remain silent.

His remarks were received with noisy protestations by the Left, and a long and a night sitting of the Assembly.

When the tumult had somewhat subsided, Caragau resumed and proposed a night sitting of the Assembly.

The Minister of Justice, M. Dufaure, then declared that France would not remain a moment without a government, notwithstanding the vote just cast. There exists, he said, a present and a future, and the Ministry would not answer for the maintenance of order. They would consult with the President and agree to a new constitution.

The Left shouted, "Why will the Government thus set Europe and posterity an example of its monstrous ingratitude?" The Right insisted that the Government should promptly communicate its decision to the Assembly.

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RIVER GAUGES.

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but the Signal Service proposes to do in the interest of the Public Commerce the work of the Signal Service.

Gen. Albert J. Myer, Chief of the Signal Service, has just put into operation a regular system of daily river reports in connection with the weather report system, and it is proposed to connect with the light-house and life-saving stations. This will make the signal service, in its peaceful operation, as perfect as it is contemplated for the present. The new river report system was commenced on the 1st day of May. It involves the employment of civilians as observers (the only civilians in the signal service), but it has been found cheaper to adopt that plan. Stations have been ordered at the following points: Annapolis, Ill., Booneville, Brownsville, Brunswick, Cairo, Cincinnati, Confluence, Davenport, Evansville, Fort Benton, Fort Smith, Fort Snelling, Fulton, Gratiot, Hannibal, Hannibal, Mo., Kansas City, Keokuk, Leavenworth, Lexington, Little Rock, Louisville, Marietta, Memphis, Nashville, New Haven, New Orleans, Old City, Omaha, Pittsburgh, Shreveport, St. Joseph, St. Louis, St. Paul, Vicksburg. The usual river reports have been based on standards of eleven years' experience, but the difficulty has been that they lacked reliability, because boatmen, by reason of interested motives, frequently gave false reports, and in many instances caused the delay or advance of ships to be held back or stuck on shoals while the party giving the information took the liberty of his knowledge. Under the new system a gauge is planted in the river bank at each station. It is made of pine or oak timber, two inches thick by three inches wide, and is so placed as to be above the water, and is so placed as to be above the water, and is so placed as to be above the water.

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Smart Hens and a Smart Boy.

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Eli Perkins contributes the following to the New York Graphic:

The near-sighted hen who ate sawdust, supposing it to be corn meal, then laid a nest full of brood knobs, sat on 'em three weeks and hatched out a complete set of parlor furniture, was a pretty fair hen. But I saw a boy yesterday who lives in one of the little shanties up by Central Park, who is about as smart as that hen.

Johnny was feeding a flock of chickens with powdered bones, and when we asked him what he did it for, he said "he was trying to see if he couldn't make 'em lay billiard balls."

We were somewhat amused at Johnny's, and asked him how he caught a hen when he wanted one to kill.

"Why, I can catch 'em," Mr. Perkins, without going into the yard at all," replied Johnny.

"Well, little boy, if you'll do it I'll give you this dollar," said my friend, pulling out an old Mexican silver piece.

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CHASKA, THURSDAY, JUNE 19 1873

Proceedings County Board.

Auditors Office, Carver Co. Minn.
Chaska, June 18, 1873

One o'clock p. m.

Board of County Commrs met in ac-
cordance with law, present, Commrs,
Carlson, Patterson, and Itis. Board
called to order by the chairman.

On motion the proceedings of last ses-
sion were read and approved.

Resolved—That the bill of G. Long-
den for taking care of John Fred, a
pauper, be allowed as amended, \$45.00.

Resolved—That the bill of Catherine
Sembler for taking care and boarding
John Fred, pauper, be allowed \$18.00.

Resolved—That the penalty on out-
lot, b. k. 1, in the village of Young Am-
erica belonging to H. Thomas, be stricken
off for 1873.

Whereas the ferry known as Thomp-
son's ferry has been sold by Caroline
Peterson heir at law of Peter Thompson
to Peter Peterson, now therefore.

Resolved—That the license granted
into the said Caroline Peterson be and
the same is hereby transferred to the
said Peter Peterson on condition that
he shall Peter Peterson comply with the
regulation governing ferries and with
the resolution of the board of County
commrs. granting such license.

Resolved—That \$7.50 be abated for
the year 1872, from the lot 4, block
12 in the village of Carver, belonging to
Jacob Mohner.

Resolved—That \$11.88 be abated
from the personal property tax of Louis
Kuehn for 1872.

On motion the Board adjourned till
9 o'clock a. m.

June 18th, 9 o'clock a. m.

The Board met pursuant to adjournment,
present, Commrs, Carlson, Itis,
Wesschecker, Patterson, and Kelly. Board
called to order by the Chairman.

Resolved—That the personal property
tax of Fred Womner be reduced to 20
cents for the year 1872.

On motion the Board adjourned till
one o'clock p. m.

One o'clock p. m.

The Board met pursuant to adjournment,
members all present, Board called to
order by the chairman.

Resolved—That the resolution by
which A. Peterson was set off in March
session from school district No. 2 and is
attached to Dist. No. 3, be and is hereby
reconsidered and that the territory de-
scribed be set to Dist. No. 2.

Resolved—That the penalty be abated
upon the 20 q. of nw q. sec. 22, T. 116
R. 24 for the year 1870 and 1871.

The committee, on road petitioned
for by Henry Rietz and others for a
change of the Greenwood road reported
in favor of granting the petition on mo-
tion resolved that the report be accepted
and committee be discharged.

Resolved—That the prayer of the
petitioners be granted, and that the dam-
ages allowed, to the owners through
whose land the said road runs be as fol-
lows:

Jacob Kaufhold, 5.00
red Payer, 20.00
Henry Kae-makers, 5.00
C. Grever, 40.00
T. H. Oringer, 10.00
Abraham Kunz, 25

Resolved—That the application of
John Lorfeld for liquor license be made
the special order for Friday next at 2
o'clock p. m.

Resolved—That 100 dollars be abated
from the valuation of nw q. sec. 21,
T. 115, R. 24, belonging to Chas. Lud-
loff.

Resolved—That \$80 be abated from
the valuation upon sw q. sec. 4,
T. 117, R. 25 belonging to Wm. Groff.

Resolved—That the penalty be abated
upon the 20 q. of nw q. sec. 2, T. 117, R.
26 for the years 1869 till 1871, belong-
ing to D. G. Witmer.

Resolved—That the petition of Peter
Itis and others for the location of a
highway, commencing at Chaska Town-
ship, running in Delhagen and ending
in Laketown be accepted and referred
to Commrs. R. Patterson, M. Itis, and
M. Kelly as committee to meet at the
Court House on the 10th day of June
1873, at 10 o'clock a. m.

On motion resolved to adjourn till 9
o'clock a. m.

January 5, 9 o'clock a. m.

The Board met pursuant to adjournment,
Members all present, Board
called to order by the Chairman.

The Board of G. Deuss, overseer of
the poor farm was presented, read and
approved with the sureties therein.

Resolved that the following bills be
allowed.

Timothy and Faber, for goods for
mercantile, \$8.23
J. T. Keady, for dinner chairs for pas-
senger, 10.00
G. Deuss, for attending Jahvory March
and 4 men seasons and for having two
bulls castrated, \$4.50

Resolved—That G. Deuss, overseer

of the poor farm, is hereby notified and
ordered to sell the bull now in his care
for the sum of not less than thirty-five
(\$35) Dollars and pay the said amount
into the purloin of Carver County.

Resolved that the petition of Henry
Kios and others for a change of the
Shakopee and Excelsior road be ac-
cepted and referred to Commrs. R. Pat-
terson, M. Itis and M. Kelly to meet at
the House of H. Kios on the 9th day of
June 1873 at 12 m.

Resolved that a committee of two be
appointed to investigate whether or not
the petition of Henry Leaz and others
for the creation of a new school district
is legal according to the new law. The
committee appointed consists of M. Itis
and J. Wesschecker.

Resolved that the petition of George
Campbell and others for the location of
a new road, named the Wagona and
Helvetia road be referred to the County
Attorney for his opinion.

On motion resolved till one o'clock
a. m.

One o'clock a. m.

Board met pursuant to adjournment,
Members all present. Board was called
to order by the chairman.

Resolved—That the petition of G.
Campbell and others for the location of
a new road be dismissed.

Resolved—That the petition of Ma-
thias Jacobs to be set off from school
district No. 6 and to be attached to
school district No. 1, be accepted, and
that the rehearing thereof will be on the
5th day of September 1873.

Resolved that the bill of H. J. Chevre
County Surveyor, to the amount of
\$107.50 for making 20 plats of County
roads for towns be allowed, by the fol-
lowing votes: Yes, Commrs. Itis,
Kelly and Wesschecker; Nays Pat-
erson and Carlson.

Resolved the petition of A. Hoen and
others for a change of the old St. Paul
and Chaska road be accepted and re-
ferred to Commrs. M. Itis, M. Kelly
and R. Patterson as Committee to meet
at the house of Peter Meisenburg on
Monday the 9th day of June at 3 o'clock
p. m.

Resolved—That the bill of J. H.
Chevre for furnishing plats of County
roads to towns, be and is hereby recom-
mended.

Resolved that the application of Fr.
Tobert for abatement of taxes be re-
jected.

Resolved to adjourn till 9 o'clock
a. m.

Jan. 6, 9 a. m.

Board met pursuant to adjournment,
Members all present. Board called to
order by the chairman.

Resolved that the petition of Paul
Hohrbecher and others for a change of
the Wagona and Helvetia road be
all over till September session.

Resolved—That the penalty upon lot
1, block 29, in the village of Carver be
abated for the year 1868.

Resolved—That twenty five per cent.
be abated from the valuation on all the
out lots east of the Minneapolis and St.
Louis R. R. track in the village of Car-
ver belonging to L. H. Griffin and his
wife.

Resolved—That the petition of H.
Lenz for the creation of a new school
dist. be rejected on account of not hav-
ing the required amount of signers ac-
cording to law.

Resolved—That the valuation on lot
9, block 31 and lots 1 and 2, block 33
in the village of Carver, belonging to L.
H. Griffin be reduced to one half.

On motion the report of the grand
jury was read, accepted, and put on file
in the Auditors office.

Resolved—That another member of
the board be appointed by the chair to
fill the vacancy of P. Barthel as one of
the committee to build a barn on poor
farm. M. Itis was appointed to fill the
vacancy.

On motion resolved to adjourn till one
o'clock p. m.

One o'clock p. m.

Board met pursuant to adjournment,
members all present, board called to or-
der by the chairman.

Resolved—That the County liquor li-
cense matter be laid over till to-morrow
morning at 9 o'clock.

Resolved—That the following sums
to the several towns be allowed for re-
building and repairing bridges swept
away by high water.

Delhagen, \$200
San Francisco, 250
Watertown, 100
Laketown, 100
Chanhassen, 100

Resolved—That 3 acres of land, more
or less, of the sw q. sec. 17, T.
115, R. 24 bound as follows, on the
south side by the H. & D. R. R. on the
north by the Chaska and Glencoe road,
on the east by the Carver Creek, the
survey thereof to commence from the
center line of the said Chaska and Glen-
coe road, to the line of said R. R. situ-
ated in Carver county be and is hereby
sold to John Plegler for the sum of
\$45.00 per acre, deed thereof to be ex-
ecuted by the chairman of the board of
County commrs.

On motion resolved to adjourn till 8
o'clock a. m.

January 7th, 8 o'clock a. m.

Board met pursuant to adjournment,
members all present, Board called to or-
der by the chairman.

Resolved—That the application of
Joseph Staken for abatement of taxes be
rejected.

Resolved—That a committee of 3 be

appointed by the chair to consult with
Mr. Hecklin in regard to his bill as jail
keeper, to report thereon at one o'clock
p. m. The chair appointed Kelly, Pat-
erson and Itis as the committee.

Resolved—That the bill of H. J. Che-
vre Co. surveyor to the amount of
\$161.50 making 30 plats of county
roads for towns be allowed by the votes
as follows: Yes; Itis, Kelly and Wes-
schecker. No; Patterson and Carlson.

The committee on road petitioned for
by H. Eggers and others, reported in
favor of petitioners, report accepted and
committee discharged.

Resolved—That the prayer of peti-
tioners be granted and damages be al-
lowed as follows, 5 dollars to Wm.
Ehrenberg and 25 cents to Fred. Eg-
gers.

Resolved—By this Board that we will
grant license to John Lorfeld for selling
intoxicating liquors for one year com-
mencing on the first day of July 1873
by paying the sum of \$25 dollars and
complying with all the laws of this state,
the said money to be paid into a special
fund. In favor of granting said li-
cense, votes; Wesschecker, Kelly, Itis
and Carlson; against, Patterson.

Resolved—That 178 dollars be re-
duced from the valuation upon lots 2
and 3, sect. 30 in town of Carver, be-
longing to Anna E. Sauerborn.

Resolved—That privilege be granted
the authorities of the incorporated vil-
lage of Chaska the use of a cell in the
county jail, for carrying purposes when-
ever the same be applied for and un-
occupied by the county. Provided that
said village authorities pay to the jailor
all expenses attendant to the commit-
ment keeping and release of any and all
persons so confined by said village authori-
ties.

Resolved—That Mr. Kelly be authori-
zied to furnish an additional abstract
of title book for the use of the Register
of Deeds of this County.

Resolved—That the bill of L. L.
Baxter to the amount of \$60, for services
as Attorney in defence of P. Wirtz be
allowed.

[Concluded next week.]

HOME ITEMS

HERALD AGENT CARVER - G. A. Du Toit

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Trains arrive and depart from the Chaska
depot as follows:

Going North..... 8:50 A. M.
8:50 P. M.
Going South..... 8:00 A. M.
8:00 P. M.

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Going West..... 8:25 A. M.
8:25 P. M.
Going East..... 8:45 A. M.
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H. & D. TRAINS,
Going West, 10:45 A. M. Going East, 9:50 P. M.

SAD ACCIDENT.—We have a sad ac-
cident to record this week in the death of
a little daughter of Mr. Wm. Schutrop,
of Chanhassen, which happened last
Monday. Mr. S. was cultivating corn
with a young mare, the little girl being
along with her father, when the mare
kicked back, struck the little girl in the
chest, inflicting a wound, from which
she died on Tuesday. The little girl was
a general pet with her parents and they
deeply mourn her loss.

The proceedings of the county
board take up considerable space this
week, to the detriment of other local
news. Our time has also been taken up
with village matters during the week,
which has prevented us from doing as
much time as usual to our paper.

PERSONAL.—Supt. Prior, of the H.
& D. road, and Supts. Mead and Hunger-
ford, of the Northern Pacific roads pass
ed through town on Tuesday and ex-
pressed themselves much pleased with
Chaska.

Col. Baxter was at Glencoe, attending
a term of the district court.

Fred Stauff, an old army comrade of
ours, remained with us a few days last
week. Fred is a jolly good fellow.

EXCURSION TRAINS.—The little
"Dumny" with Johnny O'Brien's con-
ductor, will run during the Saengerfest,
between Chaska, Carver and Shakopee
every hour, stopping at the picnic
grounds each way, on Monday. Johnny
understands the wants of the public.

GRAND FISHING.—The 2nd and 3rd
and the grand Singing Festival next
Saturday.

SAENGER-FEST.

The Concordia have everything in
tip-top order for the Saengerfest. The
Hall has been painted and rearranged
inside, so as to better meet the wants of
the occasion, should we be blest
with favorable weather. The musical
concerts, theaters and singing will well
pay admittance. It is hoped that every-
thing will pass off pleasantly.

IMPROVEMENTS.—The past two
weeks work in Chaska has made a good
deal of difference in the appearance of
our streets and comfort of travel. In
two years from now we won't even know
"ourselves".

Peter Itis is building an addition on
his new building.

F. Linenfeiler and F. Salter are mak-
ing extensive inside improvements to
their respective dwellings.

Mr. Dressel of St. Paul is having a
new fence built around his town prop-
erty.

BRICK YARDS.—The yards are turn-
ing out brick by the thousands daily and
will soon be able to supply the demand,
even including St. Paul and other
points.

LOST.—By the undersigned in the vil-
lage of Chaska, a bunch of keys, some
7 in number. The finder thereof will be
suitably rewarded by leaving the same
at the Auditor's office in the Court
House.

Chaska, June 16 1873.

G. KRAYENBUHL.

PUBLIC MEETING.—A public meeting
of the citizens was held at the Concordia
Hall last Saturday evening, at which it
was resolved to decorate the streets with
evergreens, I rush etc., before the Saer-
gerfest and also to illuminate the place
on Monday evening next. We hope it
will be properly carried out.

Peter Itis Pic-Nic.

Peter Itis has completed his arrange-
ments for his grand pic-nic and has
cleared up grounds in a beautiful grove
on the Wagona road near town. He
has also arranged with Hollister, the
livery man, to run a hack line between
town and the grove, calling at all the
hotels on Saturday, Sunday and Mon-
day, so that there is no necessity for
walking. The celebrated military band
of Fort Snelling will furnish the music
for the occasion. The band will appear
in full uniform. He also expects a can-
non to be used on the grounds for the
anvil solo.

FIRE WORKS.—Messrs. Frankan &
Starken have on hand a fine assortment
of fire works, chinese lanterns, flagsets,
which they are selling cheap. Give
them a call before the Saengerfest.

FISHING PARTIES.—Fishing parties
from town to Lake Minnetonka are fre-
quent and fish are caught in quantities.
The Chaska boat club was out a week
ago and caught a very large quantity of
fish. They remained over night and had
a good time.

CHASKA FLOUR MILL.—It is rumor-
ed that Howe & Strait have sold their
flour mill at this place for the sum of
fifteen thousand dollars to some parties
in Fairbault.

KING OF THE BLOOD.—Pimples on the
face.—Case. I have been troubled for
the past two or three years with a very
disagreeable eruption on my face, and
had tried many different remedies, as we
as physicians, and had given up dis-
couraged, when I accidentally heard
of your King of the Blood, I bought a
bottle and used it according to direc-
tions and found relief, and by using
three bottles more I am completely cured,
and can cheerfully recommend it to
those afflicted with scrofulous diseases
or any impurity of the blood.

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SAENGER-FEST,

AT

Chaska, Carver Co. Minn.

ON

Saturday, Sunday and Monday

THE

21, 22, and 23d of June 1873

—:—

First Day.

Forenoon receptions of Societies and
guests.

12 o'clock, welcome song and addresses
by the Concordia.

Assignment of quarters.

Afternoon.

Trial of Fest song by the Societies in
a attendance.

Evening.

Grand Vocal and Instrumental Concert.

Sunday Forenoon.

Procession of all the Societies through
the streets of Chaska.

Festival Oration.

AFTERNOON.

Grand Prize Singing by all the Societies.

Evening Theater.

Monday Morning Pic-nic at Judge
Ebinger's Grove.

11 o'clock Meeting of the

Saengerbund.

Evening Grand Ball at the Fest Hall
and Litanic night at Concor-
dia Park.

MUSIC.

Music for the occasion will be fur-
nished by the celebrated Great Western
Band of St. Paul.

By Order of the Fest Committee

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New Goods.

would most respectfully call the

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CHASKA, THURSDAY, JUNE 26 1873.

Proceedings County Board.

Auditors Office, Carver Co., Minn.

CHASKA, June 26, 1873.

Resolved—That bids will be received

by the board of County Commrs. at the

September session on the 5th day of said

month, for the building of a barn 36 x

22 feet according to the plan and speci-

fications drawn by said board. The con-

tract awarded to the lowest reliable bid-

der; provided that the said commrs. have

the right to accept or reject any and all

bids. That the money appropriated

for the different towns of this county

be expended under the express super-

vision of the Commrs. from the district,

and that no order be issued until said

Commrs. approve of the work so done

the same to be paid out of the revenue

fund.

On motion the board resolved to ad-

jour to the 10th of July p. m.

One o'clock p. m.

Board met pursuant to adjournment.

Members all present, board was called

to order by the chairman.

Resolved—That a committee of three

be appointed of this board to purchase

a pile driver for the use of this county

provided they can procure one at a

reasonable price. Such pile driver to

be left on the poor farm in charge of the

poor master who shall keep the same in

care and only deliver it to the super-

visor of the respective towns of this county

under an order of the commr. of their

district, such commr. shall not issue an

order to any town for a longer time than

two weeks, but shall have the power to

extend the time from week to week, pro-

vided there is no order ahead of him

from any other district.

Further that said supervisors shall

return the said pile driver immediately

at the expiration limited in their order

from the commr. in working condition.

Resolved—That the bill of Hecklin as

jailed be laid over till September ses-

sion 1873.

Resolved—That the action of the board

by which the bill of Hecklin as jailed

was laid over, be reconsidered.

Resolved—That the bill of Hecklin as

jailed be laid over till September ses-

sion 1873.

Resolved—That to perfect the mak-

ing of the abstract of title for the county

of Carver by the Reg. of Deeds F.

Greiner, the Auditor is hereby author-

ized to obtain from the several land of-

fices, Railroad companies and State

Auditor the necessary abstracts of the

entries in said offices, not returned to the

Auditor, at the expense of the County,

and the Auditor is hereby author-

ized to have made a common large desk

in rough boards, large enough to work

conveniently, said abstract in the Court

room, and have the use of said Court

room during the making of said abstract.

Resolved—That an order for \$800,

out of Int. and Sinking Fund be issued

by the Auditor to Francis Hassenstab

County Treasurer, being the amount

paid by him to John M. Gillman Att'y.

in full satisfaction of the claim for rent

of F. W. Hutchins vs. Carver County.

Resolved—That the county will not

pay for plots of county roads in the re-

spective towns of Carver Co., made by

the county surveyor for town clerks, ex-

cept ordered by the board hereafter.

Resolved—That the following bills be

allowed:

G. Krayenbuhl, fees terms of Court

allowed, \$123.85.

Valley Herald, pub. notice of Co. sup.

to teachers \$4.55.

Valley Herald publishing notice to as-

essor \$5.70.

ins for Courthouse rent 8.00.

R. Patterson, commr., one day exam-

ining road, 3.00.

R. Patterson, commr., one day visiting

poorfarm, one day poor, 6.00.

R. Patterson, 5 days and mileage June

session 17.80.

J. Heilhofer for making and furnishing

tumbler on courthouse well 3.00.

Resolved—that the bills of D. Kerker

and Fred Itis be referred back for cor-

rection.

Resolved—That the bill of Faber &

Luenfeller, by F. Hecklin, be laid over

till next session for information.

Resolved—That the bill of H. H.

Strunk be laid over till next session and

referred to the County Attorney for his

opinion.

Resolved that the bill of J. Thomp-

son, dept. Sheriff of McLeod County be

laid over and referred to the county

attorney for his opinion.

Resolved—That the bill of F. H.

Kranz to the amount of \$8.00 for lying

road from Shakopee to Chaska and mak-

ing report, be allowed.

Resolved that the bill of A. Fuller,

surveyor, for surveying road from Sha-

kopee to Chaska be rejected.

Resolved that the bill of B. Roesser

be referred to the commr. of that dist.

for information.

Resolved that the bill of R. W. Cur-

rie as commr. on Delano and Watertown

state road be allowed as amended.

Resolved that the bill of H. Sorenson

to the amount of \$3.00 for fuel furnis-

hed to Larson family be allowed.

Resolved that the bill of Th. Bettin-

ger, for services in court be rejected.

On motion resolved that the following

bills be allowed:

Edward Boyle 2 days attendance and

mileage in case State Minn. vs. J. Gre-

then \$3.32

County Auditor and deputy for attend-

ance to Co. board one extra evening

session 3.00.

Resolved that \$2.55 of the personal

property tax of Jeremiah A. Kief be

returned.

Resolved that the following bills be

allowed:

Sheriff Hecklin, boarding P. Woerz from

March 19th till June 3d 1873 \$48.49

Sheriff Hecklin for summoning 14 spe-

cial jurors at the April court term 7.00.

Sheriff Hecklin for attending court 10

days with 3 deputies 120.00

Sheriff Hecklin for summoning witness

before Grand Jury and 2 days attendance

in adjourned term 31.75.

Resolved—To adjourn till Sept. 2nd

1873.

Attest

L. STREUKENS, Co. Auditor.

HOME ITEMS

HERALD AGENT CARVER—G. A. Du Toit

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Trains arrive and depart from the Chaska

depot as follows:

Going North.....8:50 A. M.

8:55 A. M.

Going South.....8:58 A. M.

9:03 A. M.

S. W. Lusk, Agent.

Shakopee, Chaska & Carver

Accommodation Trains.

CONNECTING WITH ALL TRAINS ON ST. PAUL, CITY R.

Going West.....8:45 A. M.

8:50 A. M.

Going East.....5:10 P. M.

5:15 P. M.

H. & D. TRAINS.

Going West, 10:45 A. M. Going East, 8:50 P. M.

DIED.

At Chaska, Sunday evening, Alice, daughter

of Mr. and Mrs. Henry Young, aged 4 years

and 7 months.

Little Alice was only sick a few hours and

died with spasms, occasioned, it is supposed,

by eating poisonous herbs. She was a general

favorite and her death is sadly mourned. The funeral

on Tuesday was very largely attended.

PERSONAL.—We were called upon

by a host of friends during the Saenger-

fest, and owing to an unusual draft on

STATE SAENGER-FEST.

SEVENTH ANNUAL MEETING.

A GRAND SUCCESS.

Two Thousand Persons

Present on Sunday.

A Jolly Time and Every-body

Satisfied.

The seventh annual Saengerfest, is a

thing of the past, but will linger in the

memory of many for years to come, for

it was a grand success and its pleasures

were enjoyed by the great throng pres-

ent in such a manner as to leave a last-

ing impression upon the mind.

CHASKA

Presented a beautiful appearance, the

streets were profusely adorned with ev-

ergreens, and flags were floating from

every house-top—proclaiming the plea-

sure that the citizens of Chaska en-

joyed in welcoming the members of the

State Saengerbund and their guests on

this, the occasion of the 7th annual Fest.

MINNEAPOLIS HARMONIA.

The first Society to arrive was the

Harmonia of Minneapolis, under the

lead of Prof. L. Harmsen, numbering

some twenty odd active members, and

headed by the "Turner Band," under

the leadership of J. H. Ripple and num-

bering twenty pieces. They appeared

in a new uniform and attracted univer-

sally attention.

The Society was met at the Minne-

apolis depot by the Concordia Society

and a few citizens at 8 o'clock a. m.,

and marched to the Hall, after the in-

spiring strains of the Turner Band.

After lunch and refreshments and mu-

tual congratulations, the Societies head-

ed by both the Turner and Chaska

Bands, under the directions of the

Marshals marched in procession to the

H. & D. Depot, with banners flying to

meet the

OTHER DELEGATIONS.

Which arrived at about 11 o'clock and

consisted of the Mannerchor and Lied-

erkrantz Societies and the "Great West-

ern Band," of St. Paul, with full ranks,

and the Cecilia Society of Jordan, and

delegates from the Societies of Duluth

and Mankato, and followed a little later

by the Pioneer Mannerchor of Young

America, which were formed into rank

and headed by the "Great Western

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CHASKA, THURSDAY, JULY 3, 1873.

COMMUNICATION.

Watertown, Minn. June 9th 1873.

Ed. Herald:—Having been a con-

stant reader of the Herald for some

years past, and having seldom seen any-

thing in your columns from this part

of the county, it has occurred to me that

an occasional paragraph from this local

ity would be of interest to some of your

readers, and I often resolved to send you

a communication. But a few things

have happened in this vicinity since the

formation of that resolution, to be worthy

of a place in your columns. I have not

been able (before this) to muster suf-

ficient check to enable me to carry out

my resolution, but patience and perse-

verance is at last bound to be rewarded,

and the long looked for event has "re-

ventuated."

It happened thusly: a once noted

leader of politics and well known having

become disgusted with the non-appre-

ciation of his services as evinced by the

scarcity of followers in his last struggle

for Senatorial honors last fall (extending

retired from the strife and turmoil of

political warfare and engaged assiduously

in Agricultural pursuits. But the

gentle showers of this spring seem to

have renewed and revived his old

passion for political fame. So a few

weeks ago, our political farmer by sun-

day notices in the Wright County Daily

and by flaming posters displayed and

scattered throughout the country gave

notice that a "Farmers Mass Meeting"

would be held in Leander's Hall on last

Saturday the 7th inst., the ostensible

object of which was to organize a Grange

of Patrons of Husbandry, but it was

plainly visible to all who knew the "old

law" that the real object of the getting up

of the meeting was to enable himself and

some of his followers to ingratiate them-

selves into the good graces of the less

suspecting farmers, become the chap-

ions of their rights (?) draw the wool

over the optics of unsuspecting voters,

and thus come spider on them.

The meeting was called to order by

the Hon. C. H. Lissan and was per-

Railway Discrimination.

The Fairbault Republican discourses

at some length on the system of railway

discrimination in freights, and demands

reform. The Republican says:

A few facts will serve to show the in-

justice we now suffer. Take the article

of lumber for example. We are infor-

med by one of our lumber dealers that the

average cost of a car load of lumber

shipped to him from Minneapolis is

\$31.50. The freight on a like car load-

ed to Owatonna, fifteen miles further

south, is \$22; to Austin, forty miles

further south, it is \$24, and to Mason

City, Iowa, one hundred and ninety-one

miles further south, it is \$25. When

the people of this section are forced to

pay \$6.50 more per car for their lumber

than those whose location involves 191

miles additional railway transportation,

for the reason that the latter are favored

with a competing line, there can be no

wonder that they are restive and prepa-

red to strike against all who uphold such

gross inequality.

In the matter of through rates from

the East, the same grievance is mani-

fest. The railway freights on goods

from Milwaukee or Chicago to Fairbault,

are, for first class, \$1.10; second class,

\$1; third class, 75 cts; fourth class 55

cts. The rates charged on the same

classes transported by our town, 56 miles

further, to St. Paul, are, first class, 80

cts; second class, 70 cts; third class,

50 cts, and special, 35 cts.

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Young America.

We visited this

ancient and enterprising little "burg"

during the past week and gathered up a

few "items" worthy of note which we

herewith publish.

We find that our young friend Wm.

Leiston, is no longer to be numbered a-

mong our club of Bachelors; but that he

did on the 8th day of May last, delib-

erately and in direct violation of the

rules of our club, take unto himself one

Miss Isabella Cameron and that he is

now keeping house and living as happily

as a lark. Well William there is good

luck to both yourself and fair bride.

We also learn that Mrs. Bridget

Flood, the mother-in-law of Jas. Par-

terson of Camden, died in Camden on

the 28th day of April last, after having

reached the ripe old age of 110 years.

On the same day of her death she at-

tended to some trifling domestic matters

in the house and after retiring to her bed

she soon expired. Mrs. Flood was a

native of Ireland and emigrated in 1848

and resided in Canada previous to her

coming to this country.

The mill of the Messrs. Ackerman is

in full blast and is doing merchant in

addition to custom work and has estab-

lished an enviable reputation for an ex-

tra brand of flour.

The house occupied by Fred Krim-

bert, as a saloon and residence, burned

down on Friday night. Loss not known.

Mr. Slocum has a store in full blast

at the depot in addition to that of Mr.

Wm. Murphy, who is doing a fine busi-

ness and who is now erecting a new

warehouse.

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Carver Items.

DIED.

William Gibson Jr., aged 25 years, 11 months

and 14 days, on the 24th of June at Carver.

Again his death visited our midst,

this time laid its hands upon one of our

most respected and noble young

christians. Poor William, long will his

memory be cherished among the Sab-

bath school children, to whom he was

greatly endeared, he was their Superin-

tendent, and he took a great interest in

the good work, and often during his

sickness did he express great anxiety

lest it should be neglected. The chil-

dren attended his funeral in body. Mr.

Gibson had been in Carver about three

years coming to this State for his health

and had been residing with his Bro-in-

law Dr. Lewis, but that fatal disease

consumption, had taken firm hold upon

him, and finally it carried him home.

He was confined to his bed about

three weeks, and last when death was

coming to his relief, calling his relatives

and friends to his bedside, he bade them

all an affectionate goodbye—and saying

he was ready, yes, anxious to go home

and meet his Saviour, closed his eyes

and passed peacefully away, without a

struggle. His life was a just one, and

his death a beautiful one. Peace to his

ashes.

His sister Mrs. Lewis has the sym-

pathy of the entire community in this

her sad bereavement.

FALLING.—The river is again down

to near its old stand, it has done con-

siderable damage to the hay crop, and

Mr. L. H. Griffin loses about 20 acres of

wheat, and 10 to 15 acres of other grain.

IN TOWN.—John Heckerath and

Wm. Gitschka, two former well known

citizens of our town were visiting their

friends on Saturday. We are glad to

see them feeling so well.

THANKS.—Mr. and Mrs. Lewis wish

to return their thanks to the citizens of

Carver and Chaska for their kindness

during the illness of Mr. Gibson, and for

their attendance at the funeral.

NEW AGENTS.—How Strait & Co.,

have recently been appointed agents for

the well known "Human" Line of Steam-

ers running from N. Y. to all the prin-

cipal foreign ports. This is the largest,

oldest and best managed line that crosses

Premium List of the Carver

County Agricultural

Society.

Fair to be held at Carver on the 26th and 27th

days of September A. D. 1873.

HORSES.

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